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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 22, 1771.

ROME, *April* 2.

IT is given out, that the Court of Lisbon hath discovered, that one of the Officers of the Nunciature held an illicit Correspondence with the Portuguese Jesuits, transported into Italy, and having caused the Offender to be arrested, the said Court is resolved to send him hither to be punished.

VENICE, *April* 27. They write from Constantinople, that the new Ottoman Fleet is not yet sailed from the Dardanelles; and that the Pacha, who hath accepted the Command of it, did so only on Condition of not being in any Manner dependent on the Divan. A great Number of Greeks have entered on Board the Russian Squadron, which is still lying off Paros.

MITTAU, *in Courland, May* 1. One Hundred and Fifty Houses, with their Inhabitants and Cattle, were carried away by the Rapidity of the late Torrents at Riga.

FLORENCE, *May* 3. We are informed from Scarlina, a small Town in the Principality of Piombino, that on the 20th of last Month a Powder Magazine was blown up there; by which unhappy Accident many Houses were thrown down, and a great Number of People were buried under the Ruins.

MARSEILLES, *May* 3. Letters from Tunis import, that the Regency hath laid an Embargo on all the foreign Vessels in its Ports.

RATISBON, *May* 16. The Elector of Bavaria going a few Days ago to Nymbhenbourg, was alarmed at seeing his Coach surrounded by a Multitude of People, who cried out, "That they did not want to hurt his Person, but demanded the immediate Dismission of Four of his principal Ministers of State," whom they named, and to whom they attributed their present starving Condition, and indeed all their Distresses. The Body Guards refused to obey the Order they received to disperse the Populace; so that there was no other Way to appease them, than the Elector's promising that their Grievances should be redressed. Since that Day, the Garrison of Munich, and the Elector's Guard, have been trebled.

LONDON, *May* 17.

Extract of a Letter from Stockholm, dated April 26.

"On Tuesday se'nnight a Courier arrived here from Finland, sent Express by General Ehrensward, with Dispatches dated the 19th, which advise, that Baron Ribbing, the Swedish Minister at Petersburg, has sent Two Letters to him, one dated the 12th, and the other the 13th Instant, informing him, that a contagious Sickness had manifested itself at Moscow, which, according to the Account of a great Number of Russian Physicians, was a burning Fever; but the Empress, in order to quiet the Minds of her Subjects, had ordered a Chain of Troops to be formed between Moscow and Petersburg. None are admitted to pass but by the high Roads, on different Parts of which, Houses are built, where all Passengers and Goods are to perform Quarantine, and every other Precaution is taken to prevent spreading the Infection. General Ehrensward has also forbid the Entry of all Sorts of Merchandize from any suspected Places, and no one is suffered to pass without a Letter of Health."

Letters from Hamburgh, dated May 3, confirm the above, and farther add, "that the Sickness had first appeared in a Woollen Manufactury at Moscow, but that, on setting Fire to the Building, and all that was contained in it, it was hoped they had put a Stop to it. However, the principal Inhabitants had left Moscow, and had retired as far from it as possible into the Country."

May 19. It is reported, that a Commission is preparing to pass the Great Seal, for appointing a new Board of Trade and Plantations, at which, it is said, the Earl of Essex will preside.

They write from Portugal, that a Brief is arrived there from Rome, addressed to the Patriarch of that City, empowering him to suppress, reform, separate, and disperse what Religious Houses he shall think proper throughout the whole Kingdom, and introduce such new Regulations into all the Monastries, as shall, in a very great Measure, subject them to the Controul of the temporal Jurisdiction.

May 23. It is said that the late Jenison Shafto, Esq; died worth 90,000l. and that by some Time since performing the extraordinary Feat of Horsemanship, of riding 30 Miles within Two Hours, he won 12,000l.

May 27. It is said that Lady Gr——r has proved her Recrimination. The Success of her Ladyship's Attack on his Lordship will be very alarming to many Men of Fashion who *neglect* their Ladies; for if the Facts are proved, they will be in Bar of any Sentence of Separation, although any Thing may happen to be proved against a Lady; the Law holding, that Persons of Gallantry are the fittest to live together.

May 29. They write from Lisbon, that Advice had been received from the Brasils, of a dangerous Set of Pirates, who have lately infested those Parts, and taken several homeward bound Vessels from Rio Janeiro to Europe.

A noble Earl, who is said to have lost above 30,000l. at Hazard within these Two Years, is grown tired of that sedentary Amusement, and has been prevailed on by the black-legged Gentry to visit the Tennis-Court, in order to complete his Ruin; where he is become a constant Attendant, and has within these few Days lost upwards of 5000l.

A debauched young Spendthrift, who has ruined his Finances by every Species of fashionable Extravagance, was lately married to a young Lady of very considerable Fortune (who, in all Probability, he will soon make a Beggar of too) with no other Ceremony of Courtship, or Prelude to their Marriage, than seeing her once at an Assembly, and saying to her, "Will you have me, Madam? You are a good fine Girl: I'll have you, by G-d, if you will." To which the Lady immediately consented, and they were married the Week following. Such are the Coxcombs and the Women of the present Age!

Extract of a Letter from Paris, dated May 20.

"The Distractions of this Country daily increase: The Princes of the Blood, and the Parliament of France, are united in one firm Body to oppose the Tyranny of the Court; and the King of Spain, as a Prince of the House of Bourbon, is strongly attached to them, and determined to support them against the Court of Versailles, whose politicks he detests, and whose Plan he abhors, for re-establishing the Jesuits in France. The *sine qua non* of the Princes of the Blood is, the Restitution to all the Parliaments of France of their original Constitutional Privileges; their Freedom of Debate, of annuiling and registering of parliamentary Edicts, and the Dismission for ever, from the Service of France, the following Regiments of Mercenaries, the strongest Support of Tyranny in France, and at this Crisis the only Foundation for absolute Government; *Cavalry*, Royal Lorrain; *Dragoons*, Jarnac, Schonberg; *Infantry*, Swiss Guards, Alsace, Anhalt, Royal Italien, D'Erlach, Boccard, Sonnenberg, Castella, Waldner, Jenner, La Marck, Diesbach, Courten, Bulkely, Clare, Dillon, Royal Suedois, Walsh, Berwick, Royal Baviere, Salis, Royal Corse, Nassau, Lockman, Royal Deux Ponts, Eptengen, Buttafaco; *Light Infantry*, Legion de Lorrain, Legion de Corse.

"Very disagreeable News arrived by a Courier last Night from Strasburgh, and this Morning, it is said, the Empress Queen has complied with the Request of our Court, to form a Camp this Summer of Forty Battalions near Brussels.—not to attack France, but to stifle those Sparks of Liberty that begin to blaze in the different Parliaments of France."

June 3. On Condition General Paoli relinquishes all Views of disturbing Corsica for the future, he has been offered a very noble Income by the Court of France, to be settled upon him and his Heirs. To this Offer his Friends on this Side the Water advise him to accede, which, it is said, he is very willing to do; and when this is completed he will be presented to a considerable Command in the British Army.

June 4. Our most gracious Queen, we are assured, has within these Two Months given considerable Sums of Money out of her own private Purse, to relieve the Distresses of real Objects of Charity.

Extract of a Letter from the Hague, May 28.

Yesterday Morning the grand Manœuvres of the Garrison of this Place were finished; but their End, contrary to all Expectation, was somewhat tragical, as one of the Captains of the Regiment of the Holland Guards was dangerously wounded in the Thigh, by a Ball, which, it is presumed, was dicharged by a Soldier of the Regiment of the Swiss Guards, and which, according to Appearances, was not designed for that Officer, but for the Duke of Wolfenbuttle, Field-Marshal, who was very near him. This Misfortune threw all the Officers into great Consternation, the Retreat was immediately ordered to be beaten, and the Troops to be dismissed, though they had not gone through half their Manœuvres. The Prince of Orange, the Duke Field-Marshal, and all the Generals, are returned here, very sorrowfully affected by this unhappy Adventure.

On a Motion in the Court of Chancery, for appointing a Receiver of the Rents and Profits of the Estates of the late Alderman Beckford, on Account of a Difference in Opinion of the Executors, it appeared that his Estates in England amounted to 7000l. *per Annum*, and in the West-Indies to 20,000l. *per Annum*, at the lowest: It likewise was asserted by the Attorney General, that in the Course of the last Year the Infant was brought in Debtor 37l. odd Shillings; he said he did not doubt but it must astonish the Court, but it was a real Fact.

June 5. It is said that Lord N—— will retire to Italy for the Benefit of his Health, or the Preservation of his Life, as it is believed, from many undoubted Proofs, that he is not able to give a just Account of his Stewardship.

It was this Morning confidently reported at several Coffee-Houses about the Royal Exchange, that the Carlton House Junto were dissolved, on Account of finding a Storm gathering over their Heads, which, if it burst, must be fatal to them all; as a certain Lady can no longer protect them in their unconstitutional Proceedings, her Influence at St. James's being lost.

June 6. When the first Report of L——'s Infidelity was carried to the Queen's Palace, their M——ies were at Cards with the D——s of A——r. The K——, who sincerely loves Lord L——r, was much affected with the News; on which her M——y observed, that it was no Wonder such Things happened, when the greatest Encouragement was given to Places, which were only calculated to increase female Licentiousness (alluding to a certain Place of polite Entertainment). Her M—— then returned to the D——s of A——r, and said, "and there is the Coterie too, another pretty Place." The D——s then attempted to defend the last mentioned Society, but was stopt short by her M——, who said, "It is a very silly Institution (to say the best of it) my Lady D——s, and I desire to hear no more of it."

A Letter from Ternate, one of the Dutch Spice Islands in Asia, dated August 23, 1770, mentions, that since the Middle of July preceding, that Island has fallen into a most deplorable State, by the Ravages occasioned by a Volcano, which was succeeded by an almost perpetual Earthquake, the Shocks of which followed each other so quick, that in 24 Hours 60 considerable Shocks were felt, whereby not one House belonging to the Dutch Factory or the Inhabitants escaped great Damage, and even the Church. All the Inhabitants without Exception are obliged to quit their Houses, and lodge under Cabbins or Tents. The Governor is gone aboard the Ship Nord Niewland, which was detained here on Purpose. The last Explosion of the Volcano, which was a few Days before the above Date, is inexpressible, on account of the Quantity of Cinders, burning Stone, and inflammatory Matter thrown out. Since that Time the Shocks of the Earth are diminished to 4 or 5 in a Day.

The Reports concerning the State of the Garrisons at Gibraltar and in Minorca, having been made in Terms by no Means to be reconciled, it has been thought advisable to send a Great Personage, who having applied himself with uncommon Assiduity to study the military Sciences, is esteemed the ablest General in Great Britain.

June 8. Though we have lately suffered the French Ambassador and his Attendants to visit our Dock-yards, a Correspondent observes, that in March 1770, when an English East-Indiaman, having lost her Masts off Ushant, steered into the Road of Brest to refit, the Intendant of the Marine sent a Message, charging the Crew not to come on Shore; the Officers indeed were permitted, but so cautious were the French, that they conducted them by the back Wall of the Fortress of Louvernois, a Town about Twelve Miles off, where they continued for Five Weeks, under the strictest Inspection; in the mean Time the Ship was supplied, and being fit for Sea, the Officers were brought to Town, to a Coffeehouse near the Esplanade, where the Swiss Regiment was exercised for their Entertainment; after which they were conducted on Board their Ship, but not till it was dark, and a fair Wind springing up, they set Sail the next Morning.

A whimsical Gentleman, in the Neighbourhood of Soho, hath caused the following Label to be put over his Door; To House-breakers. No Plate nor Money kept within this House.

The Letter from the Budziack and Ediffan Tartars to the Empress of Russia, lately presented by the Deputies, among other Matters, says as follows: "Our Fathers and Ancestors, who were never in Subjection to any foreign Power, passed their Days in Tranquillity, and at all Times followed their own Usages and Customs; but, for some Years past, the Ottoman Porte having, by various Stratagems and Menaces, forced our People to submit to the Yoke, we at length lost our original Freedom. At this Period, when the Turks, setting no Bounds to their Ferocity and Avarice, undertook an unjust War against their Neighbours, we, by Orders received from the Porte, were constrained to act hostilely with them, by which Means we were, much against our Wills, obliged to shed a Deluge of innocent Blood, besides committing all the Horrors naturally attendant on War: But our Tyrants meeting with a Repulse, we have happily been enabled to throw off the Yoke, and beg Leave to throw ourselves under the Protection of your Imperial Majesty." Her Imperial Majesty received the Deputies graciously, ordered her Ministers to confer with, and confirm to them their Request, and to assure them of her Favour.

The following Conversation passed a few Evenings ago at a great House in the Park: Their Majesties were at Piquet, and the Prince of Wales and the Bishop of Osnabrugh in the Room. His Majesty happened to have Three Kings in his Hand, which he was going to reckon, when the Queen declared she had Four Knaves, which won the Game. The Prince of Wales (not understanding the Game) said, he thought it was very hard that Four Knaves should beat Three Kings; the Bishop made Answer, that it was no Wonder, as Knaves had so much Power. The Prince of Wales said, if that was the Case, he would not play at

Piquet, but would learn a much prettier Game, which was, to beat Knaves out of Doors.

CHARLES-TOWN (*South-Carolina*) *July* 22.

The Spaniards of Hiſpaniola complain of the French encroaching on their Territory; very lately they entered a Plantation, cut down the Coffee-Trees, ranſacked the Dwelling-Houſe, and maltreated the Owner. On which the French Governor ſent an Officer, with Two Companies of Grenadiers, and the Marechauſſee, who not only diſpoſſeſſed the Spaniards, but carried Fifty of them to Cape Francois, where they were ſent to the common Jail.

BOSTON, *Auguſt* 5.

We learn from the Iſland of Hiſpaniola, that a malignant Fever had broke out among the Inhabitants of that Iſland, whereof great Numbers of them dies every Day.

Since our laſt arrived here from the Southward, the Roſe and Beaver Men of War, and the Bonnetta, from Halifax: The Mermaid was arrived there in Four Days.——The Senegal Sloop of War, and Hope Schooner, ſailed from hence laſt Wedneſday.

WILLIAMSBURG, *July* 25.

Extract from the Journal of the Honourable the Houſe of Burgeſſes.

Reſolved, nemine contradicente, That an elegant Statue of his late Excellency the Right Honourable Norborne Baron de Botetourt be erected in Marble at the publick Expence, with proper Inſcriptions, expreſſing the grateful Senſe this Houſe entertains of his Lordſhip's prudent and wiſe Adminiſtration, and their great Solicitude to perpetuate, as far as they are able, the Remembrance of ſo many publick and ſocial Virtues which adorned his illuſtrious Character. That the ſame be ſent for to Great-Britain, under the Direction of the Honourable William Nelſon, Thomas Nelſon, and Peyton Randolph, Eſqrs. Robert Carter Nicholas, Lewis Burwell, and Dudley Digges, Eſqrs.

Reſolved, That the Treaſurer pay for the Statue to be erected to the Memory of Lord Botetourt out of the publick Money in the Treaſury.

PHILADELPHIA, *Auguſt* 8.

The Report of a Party of Men being cut off, who were diſpatched from Northampton County with Proviſions for our People in the Block-Houſe at Wioming, who are beſieged by the Connecticut Party, appears by the following Extract of a Letter (which came to Town the 6th Inſtant, by Expreſs) from the Perſon who commanded the Convoy, to be without Foundation.

Wioming, Auguſt 1, 1771.

"Laſt Tueſday, about break of Day, I arrived at this Place with 31 Men and the Proviſions; and was attacked by the Connecticut Party, who had Information of our coming, by a Letter falling into their Hands, with which an Indian was ſent by Captain Ogden. We were ſurrounded by their Fire, and loſt Two Horſe Loads of our Flour, and got in with the Remainder and Twenty-two Men, Two of whom are wounded. Nine of our Men are miſſing; whether they retreated, or are killed, I cannot as yet give Information. They have kept an almoſt continual Fire on the Block-Houſe ever ſince, from Four Intrenchments; but we are determined to hold out to the laſt Extremity. I am, Sir, your humble Servant,

JOHN DICK."

We hear with certainty, that the Nine Men who were miſſing, retreated, and are returned to the Inhabitants.

ANNAPOLIS, *Auguſt* 22.

Lately died, at his Houſe, in *Kent* County, STEPHEN BORDLEY, Eſq; Attorney at Law, and one of the Repreſentatives for that County in the General Aſſembly.

Auguſt 10, 1771.

WHEREAS Mr. *Jacob Sprigg*, late of *Prince-George's* County, deceaſed, did by his laſt Will and Teſtament, order all his Tract of Land in *Frederick* County, called *the Addition to happy Choice*, containing 834 Acres, to be ſold to the higheſt Bidder——Notice is hereby given, that on Saturday the 21ſt Day of *September* next, at the Houſe of Mr. *Doutens*, near *Little Monockſy*, in *Frederick* County, the ſaid Land will be offered for Sale agreeable to the ſaid Will, for ready Sterling Caſh, Current Money, or good *London* Bills of Exchange. This Land lays on *Little Monockſy*, in ſaid County; and I am inſtructed to ſay, is well watered and timbered, the Soil fruitful, and ſuitable to *Indian* Corn, Wheat or Tobacco; and there is on it, a conſiderable Quantity of Meadow Ground.

(4w) W. T. WOOTTON, Executor.

N. B. This 834 Acres Land will be ſold all together or in Lots, as may be found beſt for the Advantage of the Eſtate.

THE Subſcribers give this publick Notice, that they begin to Inoculate 1ſt *September* (and ſhall continue until the laſt of *June* 1772) the Price as before, 2 Piſtoles, but are obliged to charge 30s. *per* Week for Board, as Proviſions through a daily Encreaſe of Inhabitants are extreamly dear.

The Sickneſs is really trifling, and the Confinement none, they may with Safety return Home in 21 Days.

Thoſe that chooſe to come, are requeſted not to alter their Diet, and to give timely Notice that they may not be diſappointed: Negroes will be inſured at 5 *per* Cent. HENRY STEVENSON.

(w4) MOSES HASSLETT.

N. B. The Subſcriber, doubtful of his ever Inoculating at his Houſe longer than this Fall and next Spring, will wait on any Gentlemen at any Time, making up an Hundred, at his uſual Price, Two Piſtoles; and will Inoculate any poor People Gratis.

Virginia, Stafford *County*, Auguſt 2, 1771.

For Sale, on Thurſday the Twenty-ſixth Day of September *next*,

THE Subſcriber's Plantation, lying in *Stafford* County, whereon he formerly lived, known by the Name of *Beulah*, with 780 Acres of Land adjoining, or 580 Acres, as may beſt ſuit the Purchaſer; the Land is well watered and timbered, and the Plantation in good Repair, fit for the Reception of either a Planter or Farmer; there is on it an Apple Orchard of choice Fruit, from which there is made annually upon an Average, Seven or Eight Thouſand Gallons of Cyder; the Land is conveniently ſituated to Trade, being within 14 Miles of the Falls of *Rappahannock*, 12 Miles from *Dumfries*, 8 Miles from *Aquia* Warehouſe, and the ſame Diſtance from *Aquia* Church, 5 Miles from the Quakers Meeting-Houſe, 5 Miles from the Baptiſt Meeting-Houſe, in *Fauquier* County, 4 Miles from the Baptiſt Meeting in *Stafford* County, and within 3 Miles of 2 Griſt-Mills; it is immaterial to deſcribe the Buildings and Improvements on the Premiſes, as any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe may be ſhewn them between this and the Sale; I could undertake to compleat any Thing that might be wanting on the Plantation by a reaſonable Man, to ſuit a Merchant, Planter, or Farmer; there is a Quantity of Ground in order for ſmall Grain this Fall, and I will give full Poſſeſſion in *December* next. The Title is indiſputable, and I will ſell a great Bargain, as I do it for the Benefit of my younger Grandſons. The Purchaſer may have 14 Years to pay the Money, on giving Bond with approved Security, bearing Intereſt from the Date, or I will diſcount Five *per* Cent for ready Money; I ſhall ſell at the ſame Time the Plantation Utenſils, Horſes, Cattle, Sheep and Hogs, the Corn, Fodder, and Hay, a good Still and Alembick, a Number of good Cyder Caſks, and ſundry other Things too tedious to mention, at Six Months Credit.

(3w) JOHN RALLS.

N. B. The ſaid Land and Plantation may be ſold by private Sale, before the Time appointed, by applying to the Subſcriber, who is very convenient to the ſame.

Auguſt 16, 1771.

TO BE SOLD,

A Negro Woman and her Child. She underſtands Waſhing, Ironing, Brewing, Baking, Cooking, &c. Enquire of the Printer. (2w)

Auguſt 1, 1771.

COMMITTED to *Queen-Anne's* County Jail, the following Perſons as Runaways: *William Philips* (as he calls himſelf) an elderly Man, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, light coloured Hair, and bald on the fore Part of his Head, has Shackles round his Ancles. *Joſeph Warle*, about 25 Years of Age, a luſty well made Man, light coloured Hair, liſps much, and has loſt his left Thumb, ſays he run away from *Baltimore* for Debt. *Richard Brown*, about 30 Years of Age, middle ſized Man, with ſhort ſandy coloured Hair, ſays he run away with *Philips* from a Man of War, lying at *Hampton Road*. Theſe Perſons came to *Kent-Iſland* in a Yawl, where they were apprehended. Their Owners are deſired to take them away and pay Charges, to

JAMES BUTLER, Jailer.

Auguſt 12, 1771.

THE Negro Man advertiſed in the *Maryland* Gazette, is ſuppoſed to be the Property of the Subſcriber living in *Charles* County, near *Gilbert's* Swamp, who deſires to know where *Joſeph Howard*, ſenr. lives, that he may know where to apply for ſaid Negro. WILLIAM POSTON.

Baltimore, Auguſt 10, 1771.

JOHN BOYD

Has juſt received, by the Ship Hazard, *Capt.* New,

A LARGE Aſſortment of Medicines compound and ſimple, Surgeons Inſtruments, Shop Furniture, Clyſter Syringes, and a few Rupture Truſſes eaſy and commodious for the Patient. Likewiſe moſt of the Patent Medicines, with the much famed Noſtrums of *Ward* and *Hill*. He has a great Variety of Perfumery, Grocery, and Painters Colours. as alſo a ſmall Parcel of Limners Paints, among which is ſome ſuperfine drop Lake of a moſt elegant Tint. All the above Articles he will ſell at a low Advance. Gentlemen of the Faculty in particular may depend on the Medicines being excellent in their Kind and moderate in Price. (w6)

WANTED, a ſingle Man, who underſtands the Buſineſs of a Skinner and Breeches-maker; any ſingle Man, who can be well recommended, may meet with good Encouragement, by leaving a Line with Mr. *Charles Lanſdale*, Poſt-rider from St. *Mary's* County to *Annapolis*, directed to *William Sears*, Tavern-keeper at *Broad-Creek*, *Prince-George's* County. (tf)

To be ſold at publick Vendue, on Friday the Firſt Day of November *next, on the Premiſes*,

A Tract of Land containing 404 Acres, ſituated and lying on *Elk-Ridge*, within Eight Miles of *Elk-Ridge* Landing. The Soil is good, well timbered and watered, a large Quantity of Meadow Ground, part of it in good Order for mowing, a good Dwelling-Houſe, Tobacco Houſes, and other Out-Houſes, good Orchards, &c. Any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe, may view the Premiſes before the Day of Sale, by applying to the Subſcriber

(w6) JOSEPH HALL.

SIX POUNDS REWARD.

Kent County, *Maryland*, *July* 24, 1771.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, laſt Night, Two *Iriſh* Servant Men, *viz.* TIMOTHY CONNER about 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, has middling thick Lips, large Noſe, ſhort brown Hair, has a Sore on his right Breaſt, and a large Wart on his left Hip; Had on and took with him Two brown Country Linen Shirts and Two Pair of Trouſers of the ſame, a brown Kerſey Veſt without Sleeves, an old brown great Coat, half worn Shoes with large Copper Buckles, and Felt Hat; his other Cloaths not known if any. The other named MICHAEL GOULDBOURY, about 5 Feet 6 or 7 Inches high, long black Hair, a large Mouth, large Teeth, and brown Complexion: Had on and took with him Two new brown Country Linen Shirts, Two Pair of Trouſers of the ſame, a new light coloured Country Cloth Veſt lined with white Country Flannel, with Cuffs to the Sleeves, with white Metal Buttons, a Felt Hat, half worn Shoes, to One of which has lately been put a new Patch. They took with them a coarſe Sheet and ſome Proviſions. Whoever takes up the ſaid Servants, and brings them Home, ſhall receive the above Reward; or if ſecured in any Jail, and Notice given to their Maſter, ſo as he may get them again, ſhall receive Forty Shillings for each.

(4w) GEORGE BROWNING.

N. B. All Maſters of Veſſels and others are forbid to harbour or carry them off at their Peril.

THERE is at the Plantation of *John Power*, living near the Mouth of *Monockſey*, *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a ſmall Bay Mare, Eight Years old laſt Graſs, about 13 Hands high, and branded on the near Buttock GD. The Owner may have her again on proving Property and paying Charges. (w3)

Juſt imported, from London *and* Glaſgow, *and to be ſold on reaſonable Terms by the Subſcriber, at his Store near the Church in Annapolis, Wholeſale or Retail*,

A Large and compleat Aſſortment of *European* and *Eaſt-India* Goods, ſuitable to the different Seaſons. COLIN CAMPBELL.

July 20, 1771.

RAN away on the 19th Inſt. from the Subſcriber, living on *Elk-Ridge*, *Maryland*, an *Iriſh* Servant, named *James Henderſon*, about 28 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 5 Inches high, of a brown Complexion, black Hair and Eyes, pitted with the Small-Pox, and has a large Scar on his left Breaſt: Had on, a Felt Hat, Kerſey Coat, ſpotted Cotton Jacket, brown Linen Shirt, Oſnabrig Trouſers, and it is ſuppoſed that he has a Pair of Shoes; he is a Schoolmaſter, and it is likely that he has forged a Paſs, being well known. He taught School in *Maryland* and *Pennſylvania*, about Two Years ago, and ſince was put into *Baltimore* Jail for Debt, and was ſold out for his Priſon Fees.——Whoever takes up the ſaid Servant, and ſecures him, ſo that his Maſter may get him again, if 10 Miles from home, ſhall receive 20s; if 20 Miles, 40s; and if out of the Province, 5 Pounds, paid by me

JOHN BROWN, Son of *Joſhua*.

Cæcil *County*, July 30, 1771.

COMMITTED to my Cuſtody as a Runaway, a Man who calls himſelf *Charles Connelly*, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, well made: Has on, a brown Cloth Coat and Breeches, old white Jacket, and blue Worſted Stockings, ſays he came into *Baltimore-Town* with Captain *Richard Hunter*; he has a Paſs ſigned by Mr. *Andrew Buchanan*, but it is ſuppoſed to be forged.——His Maſter (if any) is deſired to pay Charges and take him away.

(tf) RICHARD THOMAS, Sheriff.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away laſt Night from the Brigantine *Watters*, lying at Mr. *William Digges's* Landing, *Patowmack* River, the following Servants, *viz.* JOHN GRAYHAM, born in *Ireland*, about Eighteen Years of Age, pitted with the Small-Pox, knock-kneed HUGH BURNS, born in *Ireland*, about Eighteen Years of Age, ſwarthy Complexion, and a little pitted with the Small-Pox. They wear their own Hair, and dreſſed in Sailors Dreſs. Any Perſon that will deliver the ſaid Servants to Mr. *Alexander Hamilton*, at *Piſcataway*, or to the Maſter *Chriſtopher Dixon*, on board ſaid Veſſel, ſhall have the above Reward, or Fifty Shillings for either of them. (3w)

THERE are at the Plantation of *Luke Madd*, living on the *South Mountain*, taken up as Strays, 2 black Mares, the one old, a natural Pacer, gray Hairs intermixed over her Body, her Head and Neck much gray, and branded on the near Shoulder with R; the other about 8 Years old, 14 Hands high, can pace a little, and trots naturally, hath a very ſmall Star in her Face, her Mane hangs to the left Side, and has no Brand nor Ear-mark. The Owner or Owners may have them again on proving Property and paying Charges. (w3)

To be SOLD *cheap for ready Money*,

DR. JAMES's Fever Powders and Pills, with Papers of Direction. Enquire at the Printing-Office.

Annapolis, August 7, 1771.

WHEREAS it has been represented to his Excellency the Governor, that in the Night of Saturday the 3d Instant, the House of Mr. *James Cheston*, in *Baltimore-Town*, in *Baltimore* County, was broke open by some Person or Persons unknown, who stole out of a Desk, in the said House, a Sum of Money amounting to about Three Hundred and Thirty-three Pounds One Shilling and Sixpence; his Excellency, for the better discovering, and bringing to publick Justice, the Person or Persons concerned in the said Robbery, doth promise his Lordship's Pardon for such Offence, to any one of them (the Principal or Principals only excepted) who shall discover his, her or their Accomplice or Accomplices in the said Fact, so that he, she or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

Signed by Order, U. SCOTT, Cl. Con.

‡‡ And as a further Encouragement, the Subscriber, living in *Baltimore-Town*, in *Baltimore* County, doth promise a Reward of Fifty Pounds, to any one who shall make a Discovery of any Person or Persons concerned in the above-mentioned Offence, so that he, she or they, may be brought to Justice and convicted thereof. JAMES CHESTON.

Elk-Ridge, August 1, 1771.

THE *Devonshire*, Captain *Watts*, being loaded and ready to sail, I have chartered Part of the Ship *Thornton*, Captain *M'Dougal*, now lying in the Ferry Branch of PATAPSCO River, to take Tobacco consigned to *West* and *Hobson*. She will be loaded by the last of *August*. I have ordered Insurance as usual.

(3w) STEPHEN WEST.

August 1, 1771.

FOR LONDON,

THE Ship *Rachel*, Captain *David Kidd*, now lying at *Leonard's* Creek, in PATUXENT River, takes Tobacco consigned to *West* and *Hobson*, at Seven Pounds *per* Ton, and will be loaded at furthest by the last of *August*. I have ordered Insurance as usual.

(3w) STEPHEN WEST.

August 1, 1771.

FOR LONDON,

THE Ship *Peace and Plenty*, a very fine *New* River built Ship, just arrived from *London*, *Thomas Smith* Commander, now lying at *Lyon's* Creek, in PATUXENT River, takes Tobacco consigned to *West* and *Hobson*, at Seven Pounds *per* Ton, and will be quickly loaded. I shall order Insurance as usual.

(3w) STEPHEN WEST.

N. B. In this Ship I have Fall and Winter Assortments for all my Stores.

August 1, 1771.

FOR LONDON,

THE *Jenny and Polly*, a fine new Ship, just arrived at *Baltimore*, *David Laurance* Commander, which Ship I have chartered to load at *George Town*, in PATOWMACK River, with Tobacco at Seven Pounds *per* Ton, consigned to *West* and *Hobson*. She will be ready to load in a few Days, and dispatched early in *September*, most of her Cargo being engaged. I shall order Insurance as usual.

(3w) STEPHEN WEST.

July 26, 1771.

To be rented by the Subscriber, living at the Mouth of Hunting *Creek, in* Dorchester County,

THE Dwelling Plantation where she now resides, with Two other Tenements adjoining the same, all in very good Repair, together with the Slaves, Stock, and farming Utensil on them: Also Two Farms, lying nearly opposite *Kingston*, both in good tenantable Repair, a light level Soil, remarkable for producing good Wheat: Likewise a Farm lying on *Chickinacomico* River, known to be as valuable as most in the Country, would be rented with or without Slaves. For Terms apply to Doctor *Henry Murray*, in *Cambridge*, Messrs. *Edward Trippe* and *James Murray*, on and near *Hunting* Creek, or the Subscriber.

(6w) LILLY HAMILTON.

WANTED

ONE or Two good Peruke-makers, either as Servants to be purchased, or Journeymen to be hired, who will meet with good Encouragement, by applying to JAMES REID, Peruke-maker in this City. *Annapolis, Aug. 7.*

Cambridge, Dorchester *County*, July 19, 1771.

THIS is to acquaint the Publick, and my kind Customers in particular, that I have lately furnished myself with a large and compleat Assortment of *European*, *West-India* and Country Goods, which I will sell very reasonable for Cash. Wheat, Flaxseed, Corn, Pork, Staves, Plank, and Feathers.

(tf) MICHAEL BURKE.

Cæcil *County*, July 25, 1771.

COMMITTED to my Custody as a Runaway, a Mulatto Fellow, named CHARLES, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, says he belongs to one *Grimes*, who bought him in *Sussex* County, from *William Thomason*: Has on, an Osnabrig Shirt and Trousers, is lame in his right Ankle. His Master is desired to pay Charges and take him away.

(tf) RICHARD THOMAS, Sheriff.

Insurance-Office, Baltimore, July 29, 1771.

I Take this Method to acquaint all Gentlemen, Merchants, Masters of Ships or Vessels, Traders and others; that I have lately opened an Office for insuring Ships, Vessels and Cargoes, on any fair Risque, at the customary Premiums, and supported by a Number of Gentlemen of Probity and Property as Underwriters.

Any Orders accompanied with the Premium or Credit, shall be punctual y executed,

by their very humble Servant,

(6w) THOMAS BRERETON.

Annapolis, July 4, 1771.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the Ship Polly, *Captain* John Kelty, *and to be sold by* Thomas Hyde, *at his Store in* South-East-Street, *for ready Money or short Credit,*

AN Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable to the Seasons.

‡‡ Likewise a Quantity of Train Oil and Goree, very cheap.

Herring-Bay, May 15, 1771.

RAN away from the Subscriber the 7th Instant, a Negro Man named *Harry*, about 45 Years of Age, well set, bow legged, and has a remarkable long Beard: Had on, when he went away, a Felt Hat, Linen Cap, Two Cotton Jackets, Two Osnabrig Shirts, Cotton Breeches, coarse Shoes and Stockings, and a Belt round his Body. He pretends to be a Kind of a Doctor in the Tooth-drawing and bleeding Way. It is very likely he will endeavour to get to *Baltimore* County, where he formerly lived.

Whoever secures the said Negro, so that his Master may get him again, shall receive Four Dollars Reward, if taken in this County, and if out of this County, Eight Dollars, and reasonable Charges if brought home, paid by

(tf) THO. GASSAWAY HOWARD.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

July 30, 1771.

RAN away from the Coffee-House in *Annapolis*, an indented Servant Man, named OLIVER STEPHENS, about 23 Years of Age, 5 Feet 8 Inches high, wore his own Hair, light coloured Cloaths, and also carried some light coloured Jennet, which had been cut out, but not made up, away with him; he is very slender, and has a remarkable thin Face, is a Native of *Ireland*, as may be easily gathered from his Conversation, he plays tollerably on a Variety of musical Instruments, *viz.* The Violin, Clarinet, Guitar, German Flute, &c. Tho' not yet Nine Months in the Country, yet this is his second Elopement; he has shewn great Ingratitude to mild and even genteel Treeatmnt. 'Tis supposed he is either gone by Water to *Philadelphia*, or lies concealed in this Town. If any Person through Ignorance of the Law has harboured him, by securing him and giving immediate Notice thereof to Mrs. *Howard*, at the Coffee-House, he will not only avoid a Prosecution, but be handsomely rewarded. Five Pounds will be paid by the said Mrs. *Howard*, to the Person who apprehends said *Oliver Stephens*, if taken more than 10 Miles from *Annapolis*, or Three Pounds if nearer, and lodged in Jail, so that Mrs *Howard* may have him.

To be let for a Term of Years by the Subscriber, in Dorchester County, *Maryland,*

A Merchant Mill on *Hunting-Creek*, in good Repair, with Two Water Wheels, One carries a Pair of *French* Burs, double geered, hoisting and bolting Materials in good Order, with several other Buildings at said Mill. Also, sundry Farms near the said Mill, with and without Slaves, &c. would be leased: And in the Town of *Cambridge*, Dwelling-Houses with other Improvements suitable for Tradesmen, where such, if sober and industrious, would meet with good Encouragement.

As I purpose leaving the Province next Spring, I would dispose of a Sea Sloop, that will carry about 3000 Bushels of Grain, well calculated for the *West-India* Trade, sails well, about Two Years old, and sheathed. Also, a small Bay Schooner, carries about 1100 Bushels; and some other smaller Craft. As the Situation at the Mill is very convenient for a Store, having Water Carriage to the Mill Tail, and a much frequented publick Road leading by it, in a good Wheat and Corn Country, any Person inclining to farm the Mill, that would keep a Store of wet and dry Goods, I think would find his Advantage in purchasing one or other of said Vessels, for which any reasonable Time would be given for Payment, on paying Interest and giving Security, if required.

N. B. Land Carriage to *Delaware* Landings does not exceed 36 Miles from the Mill, and Water Carriage about 80 Miles to *Baltimore-Town*.

(3m) JAMES MURRAY.

Just imported in the Galloway, *Captain* Bullcprick, *from* London, *and to be sold by the Subscribers, Wholesale or Retail, at their Store, in* Church-Street, Annapolis,

A Genteel, and well assorted Cargo of *European* and *India* Goods, suitable to each Season, among which are a great Variety of fashionable Silks and Millenary.

(tf) THOMAS HARWOOD, & JOHN BRICE.

(6m) *Philadelphia, May 13, 1771.*

ENOCH STORY

BEGS leave to inform the Publick in general and his Friends in particular, that he has removed to a House well situate for Business, at the Corner of *Market* and *Second* Streets, near the Court-House, in this City, where he has fitted up a convenient Store for the Reception of Merchandize, which he proposes selling upon Commission, on the lowest Terms for Cash only, either there or at his Vendue-House up *Second* Street, (upon certain Days, of which timely Notice will be given) as may be most agreeable.

He also proposes doing Business as a Broker, to buy or sell *West-India* or *European* Goods, Bills of Exchange, Ships or other Vessels, Houses, Lands, &c. &c. and in general, such Business as he may be intrusted with, and that upon such low Terms, as may make it advantageous for the Gentlemen, Merchants, and Traders of this City, and those of the neighbouring Provinces to employ him.

He begs leave to assure them, his utmost Endeavours shall be exerted to give Satisfaction in the Management and Negotiating any Business that may be put under his Direction; and the Favours conferred on him will be thankfully received and gratefully remembered.

N. B. We the Subscribers, being acquainted with the above named *Enoch Story*, are of Opinion, from our Knowledge of his Abilities and Character, that he is well qualified to execute the several Branches of Business above mentioned.

Reese Meredith,	*Thomas & Isaac Wharton,*
James & Drinker,	*Stocker & Wharton,*
Willing & Morris,	*Samuel Morris, junr.*
Edward Penington,	*James Wharton.*

Annapolis, June 19, 1771.

Just imported, in the Betley, *Capt.* Henrick, *from* London, *and to be sold by the Subscriber very cheap, for Bills of Exchange or Current Money,*

A Great Variety of *European* and *East-India* Goods, suitable to each Season. Also may be had as usual, Wine, Rum, Molasses, Chocolate, Coffee, and Sugar, &c. &c.

PHILIP HAMMOND, junr.

Patuxent, June 5, 1771.

ALL Persons indebted to the Subscriber, are desired to come, settle and pay off their Accounts; and those who have any Demands on him, will please to send them in, that they may be paid. Constant Attendance will be given at his Store till the First of *August* next; and those who do not pay, or settle by that Time, need not expect any longer Indulgence. (6w) JOSEPH MULLAN.

JAMES LOGAN, who not only has been regularly bred to the tailoring Trade in the most capital House for that Business, in the City of *Cork*, but also worked for a considerable Time with much Applause, with most eminent Masters in *England* and *Ireland*; has now opened Shop at the House of Mr. *William Goldsmith*, Shoemaker, near the Town-Gate, *Annapolis*, where he intends carrying on his Trade in all it's various Branches; from a superior Ability in his undertaking, and constant Adherence to the due Assiduity highly necessary in the Execution thereof, he flatters himself he will be able to give the utmost Satisfaction to those who please to favour him with their Custom. (tf)

Queen-Anne's County, *July 24, 1771.*

RAN away from the Subscriber the 3d of this Instant, a Negro Man named JACK, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, and well made: He had on when he went off, an Osnabrig shirt and Trousers, Cotton Jacket, and an old Hat bound with Linen.

Whoever will deliver the said Negro Man to *John Jennings* his Overseer, at the Mouth of *Corsica* Creek, or secure him so that his Master may get him again, shall have the Reward of Thirty Shillings if taken up in *Queen-Anne's* County, Fifty Shillings if out of *Queen-Anne's* County and within the Province, and Five Pounds if out of the Province, paid by

(tf) JAMES TILGHMAN, 3d.

N B. 'Tis conjectured he is gone off by Water.

THE Subscriber being fully impowered to settle and adjust the Accounts of Mr. *Joshua Johnson*, late of this Province, requests all those who have any Claims against him to bring them in; and all those who are indebted to him to make immediate payment; those who neglect to comply with this Request, will have Suits commenced against them to *August* Court next. Constant Attendance is given at my Office.

JOHN DAVIDSON.

TO BE SOLD,

A Commodious Plantation, on *Elk-Ridge*, within Twenty-two Miles of *Annapolis*, Eighteen of *Baltimore-Town*, and Ten of *Elk-Ridge Landing*, well adapted to Grain and Grass. A View of the Premises will sufficiently evince the Beauty of the Situation and Fertility of the Soil.

(tf) H. GRIFFITH.

Dorchester County, *Maryland*, *June* 29, 1771.

To be leased, the Houses and Lots belonging to the Subscriber, in the Town of Cambridge, *viz.*

THE Dwelling-House where he at present lives, with all the Improvements belonging to the said Lot, as also, about Fifteen Acres of good Pasture Ground on the opposite Side of the Street, on which is a Stable, Chaise-House, and a large Granary convenient to the Water. Likewise a Lot and a Half, with a large Dwelling, and other Out-Houses near the Court-House, which from it's Situation is one of the most convenient Places in the said Town for a Tavern, or other publick Business, with the Advantage of about Ten Acres of very good Grass Land for Pasturage, and the Privilege of getting Fire-Wood for the Use of each of the abovementioned Dwelling-Houses, from Land contiguous to the said Town.

To be let or leased likewise, for a Term of Years, a Farm, with the Slaves and Stock on it, about Two Miles from the aforesaid Town, on which is a good convenient Dwelling-House and Kitchen, with other requisite Out-Houses, and from it's centrical Situation as to the County, and lying partly between Two much frequented Roads, it is very fit for a Person in any publick Way. The Pasturage remarkably fine, and a good deal of Branch, that may with little Expence be finished into good Meadow.

There are Two other Plantations with Slaves, Stock, and the necessary Utensils for cultivating of the Land, to be leased; the furthest of them not exceeding Four Miles from *Cambridge*, the Soil very good, and in good Repair.

(zm) HENRY MURRAY.

TO BE SOLD, *for ready Cash*,

A Tract of Land, lying in *Frederick* County, called and known by the Name of *Pool's Delight*, containing 287 Acres, some of which is good Meadow Ground, cleared, and the rest is well timbered. A View of the Premises will sufficiently convince the Fertility of the Soil Any Person willing to purchase said Land, may know the Conditions, by applying to

(tf) ANNE MIDDLETON, at *Annapolis*.

N B. As I intend to decline keeping Tavern, I beg of those Persons who have not yet settled their Accounts, to make speedy Payment. I shall take in Boarders, and keep as usual good Hay and Oats, likewise Ferry Boats to any Part of the Bay. Those Gentlemen that will favour me with their Custom, may depend on being punctually served, by A. M.

Just imported, in the Polly, *Capt.* John Keltye, *from* London, *and to be sold by the Subscriber, in* Church-Street, Annapolis, *Wholesale and Retail, on the most reasonable Terms*,

A Large and neat Assortment of *European* and *India* Goods, suitable to the different Seasons.

THOMAS GASSAWAY, junr.

A considerable Difference will be made to those who pay ready Cash.

*** Imported likewise in said Ship, and to be sold for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or short Credit, an unopened and well assorted Cargo of *European* and *India* Goods, amounting to about 1400l. Cost and Charges.

(tf) T. G. junr.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living in *Chester-Town*, *Maryland*, Two white Servant Lads, *viz.* The one named JAMES FRANCIS, belonging to *Stephen Bordley*, junr. the other named GEORGE TIPPINS, belonging to *William Bordley*. JAMES FRANCIS is short thick set, of a fair Complexion, has fair Hair, and down look, can write a tolerable good Hand, and pretends to know something of Navigation: Had on and took with him, a brown Country made Coat, Country Linen Trousers, a Pair of white broad Cloth Breeches that will not fit him, Two Silver Knee Buckles not Fellows, and a Pair of Shoes that were not made for him, and upon Examination will appear too long and narrow for him. GEORGE TIPPINS is slender made, of a fair Complexion, short light coloured Hair, has been some Time on board of a Man of War, can neither read or write: Had on and took with him, an old blue lapelled broad Cloth Coat, an old Nankeen Coat patched at the Elbows and under the Arms, with new Nankeen, a Pair of light blue Breeches, and a Pair of white Breeches made of Ticking. It is probable JAMES FRANCIS may forge Passes for them both.——Whoever takes them up and secures them, so that the Subscribers get them again, shall receive Five Pounds Reward, from

STEPHEN BORDLEY, junr,

(7w) WILLIAM BORDLEY.

ANNAPOLIS RACES,

On TUESDAY, *September* 24.

A PURSE of ONE HUNDRED GUINEAS, to be run for only by Horse, Mare, or Gelding, belonging to the Members of the JOCKEY CLUB; Heats 4 Miles each. Four Years old to carry 7 Stone, 5 Years 7 Stone 10lb. 6 Years 8 Stone 7lb. Aged 9 Stone.

On WEDNESDAY 25.

A SUBSCRIPTION PURSE of FIFTY POUNDS, give and take; Heats 3 Miles; Horses aged, 14 Hands high, to carry 9 Stone; for every Year under to carry Half a Stone less; and Half a Stone more or less to be allowed for Horses over or under 14 Hands.

On THURSDAY 26.

LADIES SUBSCRIPTION PURSE, which, with the Entrance Money added thereto, is expected will amount to FIFTY POUNDS. Heats 3 Miles each; Weights as First Day.

On FRIDAY 27.

A PURSE of FIFTY POUNDS, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, to carry 9 Stone. Heats 4 Miles.

The winning Horse each Day is excluded starting for any of the other Plates.

Subscribers of Three Pounds or upwards, may enter free for each, or all of the Three last Days Plates. Non-Subscribers to pay Two Guineas Entrance each Day.

July 25, 1771.

RAN away last Night from the Subscriber's Plantation, about 10 Miles from *Baltimore-Town*, 2 Convict Servants, *viz.* DAVID TOOLE, about 5 Feet 4 or 5 Inches high, a well set Fellow, has black Hair, gray Eyes, fresh ruddy Complexion, he is an *Irishman*, but doth not talk much in that Dialect: Had on and took with him, an old Fearnought Jacket, Osnabrig Shirt, Crocus Trousers, Felt Hat, and half worn Shoes. JOHN ROBERSON, an *English* Convict Boy, about 4 Feet high, and about 14 or 15 Years old, has black Hair, black Eyes, and a good Complexion; he is a very smart talkative Boy, and can read and write pretty well; he has had both of his Legs broke by a Cart, which occasions them to be somewhat crooked Had on when he went away, an Osnabrig Shirt, Felt Hat, a good blue Coat, brown Holland Jacket, and blue Breeches: They may not be dressed as is described, as they took sundry Cloaths with them, *viz.* A half worn Gold laced Hat, which has a very narrow Brim, a redish Wilton Coat, with Pockets in the Skirts, a Check Shirt, and striped Holland Trousers, an old blue under Jacket, old white Shirt and a new white ditto, 8 Pair of Thread Stockings, and One Pair of worsted ribbed ditto; the Boy has a Pair of Boots.——Whoever takes up and secures the said Servants, so that their Master gets them again, shall have 30 Shillings, if taken above 20 Miles from home, if out of the County, 40 Shillings, and if out of the Province 3 Pounds for each, and reasonable Charges if brought home.

(tf) JOHN R. HOLLIDAY.

To be sold, leased, or rented, by the Subscriber, living near the Head of South-River,

TWO valuable Tracts of Land, *viz.* One lying in *Prince-George's* County, containing 230 Acres, and situated near *Bladensburg*, on the main Road from thence to *Annapolis*, the Soil is rich, well watered, and full of Timber: There is on said Plantation very good Improvements, fit for carrying on planting or farming Business: The other lying in *Frederick* County, containing 100 Acres, situated on the new Waggon Road, within 12 Miles of *Frederick-Town*, &c.——The Titles indisputable.

(tf) THOMAS RUTLAND, junr.

Annapolis, *July* 24, 1771.

THE Subscriber has lately received Letters from *England*, informing him of sundry Books, on Painting, and a Number of Prints being sent him, but by what Ship, or to what Part of *Virginia* or *Maryland* they were sent, he is totally at a Loss to find out. Any Gentleman that may be in Possession of the Books, Prints, &c. and will send them to the Subscriber, or give him Information of them, shall be well rewarded for his Trouble, and receive the Thanks of his *Very humble Servant*,

CHARLES W. PEALE.

Annapolis, *June* 6, 1771.

Just imported, and to be sold, Wholesale or Retail, upon the lowest Terms by the Subscriber, at the Store next Door below the Coffee-House,

A Large Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS. ROBERT BUCHANAN.

WILLIAM ROOKE

Has just imported in the Ship Camden, *Capt.* Richardson, *and the Ship* Eden, *Capt.* Nicholson, *from* London, *and to be sold Wholesale and Retail, very cheap, for Cash, at his Corner Store, the Head of the Dock, Annapolis, a great Variety of* GOODS, *among which are the following Articles, viz.*

OSNABRIGS, brown, white, Russia and Irish Sheeting, Russia Drab, Irish and German Doulass, 3-4 7-8, 4-4, Irish Linens; Bed Bunts, 3-4, 7-8, 4-4 and Apron Breadth Checks and Manchester Cotton Stripes, printed Cottons, Calicoes, and Linen, pencil'd and Copper-Plate ditto, India Nankeens, check and printed Handkerchiefs, Gauze and Lawn ditto, Silk and Muslin ditto, Book Muslin, Catgut, white Parisnet, plain, figured, striped, and spotted Silk Gauze, clear Lawns, fine sprigg'd Lawn Aprons, red Cardinals, plain ditto trimm'd with Ermine, black Sattin and pink Cardinals, plain ditto trimm'd with Ermine and Lace, trimmed and plain Silk Bonnets and Hats, India Pearl Necklaces, Wax ditto, black Velvet for Ladies Necks, great Variety of Silk Blond Lace, Rugs and Blankets, Camblets, Plaids, rich Damascuses, Tammies and Durants, black Russel, Callimancoes, Irish Stuffs, Crape, pink Broglio, Serge Tenim, dresst Tean, mixt Drab, scarlet and green Coating, Frizes, plain, white, red, and embossed Flannels, fine French Paste set in Silver, Ladies and Gentlemens Shoe Buckles, Knee, Stock, and Shirt; Broches ditto, Cruets and Stands, cut Diamond Glass with Silver Tops; Assortment of Riboand, Shoemakers Measures, Lasts, Hammers, Awls, Hafts, Nippers and Pinchers; Mason's Trowels and Hammers, Plasterers Trowels, H Hinges, Stock Locks, Brass Case ditto, Iron ditto, Chest, Cupboard, Box, Desk, Drawer and Padlocks; Currycombs and Brushes, Steel, plated, and Metal Spurs; plated, Steel, Pinchbeck, Platina, Bath Metal, Tin and mourning Shoe and Knee Buckles; Paper, enameled and Tin Snuff-Boxes, Pocket Looking-Glasses, Slates and Pencils, Needles, Pins, Fishhooks, Hooks and Eyes, Japan'd, Iron, Tin, Brass and plated Candlesticks; Ladies and Gentlemens red, blue, green, and black Leather Pocket-Books, with or without Instruments; an Assortment of Stationary, Boot-Garters, Chaise and Horsewhips, Turkey and common Saddle-Cloths, Curb and Snaffle Bridles, Bridle-Bits, Girths, Saddle-Straps, Bridle Gun Locks, common ditto, Mouse Traps, Wood Screws, smoothing Irons, Carpenters Irons, square 4 5 6 7 Inches Iron Bolts, Firmers, Gouges, Chizels, Socket Gouges and Chizels, Augers and plain Irons, Coopers Adzes and Hammers, best Steel Tenant and Hand-Saws, Files and Rasps assorted, Horn, fillegree, gilt and lacquered Buttons, Basket and Death-Head ditto, sewing Silk, Scarf and Twist, Breeches Patterns, Knee Garters, coloured, stitching, Scotch and Nuns Thread; Silk Laces, Bobbin, Tapes, Gartering, Coat and Shoe Binding, Men and Womens Thread, Cotton, and Worsted Hoes; Penknives, Knives and Forks, Spices, Spectacles, Powder, Shot, and Flints; Sugar-Candy, Epsom and Glauber Salts, Spanish Liquorice, *Turlington's* Balsam, *Godfrey's* Cordial, *Stoughton's* Drops, Jesuits Bark, Hungary and Lavender Water, Ivory and Horn Combs; an Assortment of Tin Ware, ditto Pewter, Ditto Flint Glass, Copper Tea-Kettles, Coffee-Pots and Skellets, Brass Warming-Pans, best Crown Scythes and Stones, Shovel and Tongs, Womens black Sattin, Callimanco, Everlasting, and Leather Shoes; Mens Shoes and Pumps, Spades and Shovels, Seine Twine, Sail Twine, Bed Cords, Lead Lines, Drum, Rock and Perch Lines; Coffin Furniture, white and lacquered; bottled Perry, Gloucester Cheese, Saltpetre, Liverpool Salt: Also to be Sold, Pitch, Tar, and Turpentine; Jamaica Spirit, West India and Country Rum, English and Philadelphia double and single refined Loaf Sugar, Muscovado ditto, Rice, Indigo, Starch and Blue, Soap and Candles, Mustard, Ginger, Raisins, fine Hyson Tea at 27s. 6d. *per* Pound, Green at 12s. and best Bohea Tea at 6s. *per* Pound, Chocolate at 2s. 8d. and Jamaica Coffee at 2s. 6d. *&c. &c. &c.*

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THERE is at the Plantation of *Rachel Owins*, in *Frederick* County, near *Pain's* Ferry, taken up as a Stray, a Bay Mare, about 13 Hands high, about 6 Years old, has a Blaze on her Face, and some Brands not intelligible. The Owner may have her again on proving Property and paying Charges.

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General Post-Office, *New-York*, *Jan.* 22, 1771.

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